



A child must have up to date immunization records before they can attend school

Before your child is allowed to attend school, you must provide proof of all required immunizations. It is a good idea to complete your child's immunizations well before the first day of kindergarten?

How can I make sure my child's immunizations are up to date?

- Contact your child's physician and ask for the child's immunization records.

What if my child has had no immunizations?

- Contact your child's physician.
- If you have no physician, contact your local health department.
 - **Pittsylvania-Danville Health District**
326 Taylor Drive
Danville, Virginia 24541
434-799-5190
 - **Pittsylvania-Danville Health District**
200 H.G. McGee Drive
Chatham, Virginia 24531
434-432-7232

What if my child has had some immunizations but is not up to date?

- There are catch-up series that can be administered to get your child up to date. Each immunization requires a series of shots, however, so any delay in obtaining up-to-date records can keep your child from starting school on time.

What if I have no insurance?

- The health department offers free immunizations for children of parents with no insurance. Call today to set up an appointment. Make sure you have all or any prior immunization records before you call.
- Call 1-866-873-2647 to enroll in Family Access to Medical Insurance Security (FAMIS), a Project Connect program that helps families provide health insurance to their children. FAMIS covers well-child checkups, dental and vision care, doctor visits, eyeglasses, tests and X-rays, prescription drugs, mental health care, hospital stays, **shots**, ER care and more for children up to age 19. Eligibility is based on a family's current monthly income. A family of four can make as much as \$3,725 a month and still qualify. For more information on FAMIS, visit www.famis.org.